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Applicant: Lounsberry et al.

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REPLACEABLE UNIT WITH A  
MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC SYSTEM  
AND RECORDING OPERATIONAL  
DATA

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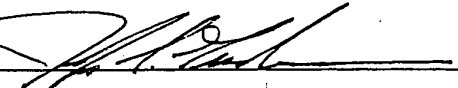
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